THE BOMBAY LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL (PRESIDENT AND DEPUTY PRESIDENT) AND THE BOMBAY LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY. (SPEAKER AND DEPUTY SPEAKER) SALARIES ACT, 1937

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BOMBAY ACT No. II OF 1937.[1]

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[*22nd October 1937.*]

Amended by Bom. 12 of 1946.*

An Act to provide for the salaries of the Presiden and the Deputy President of the Bombay Legislative Council and of the Speaker and the Deputy Speaker of the Bombay Legislative Assembly and certain other matters.

26 Geo. 5, c. 2. WHEREAS by the Government of India Act, 1935, provision has been made for the determination of the salaries of the President and the Deputy President of the Bombay Legislative Council and of the Speaker and the Deputy Speaker of the Bombay Legislative Assembly by Act of the Provincial Legislature; and whereas it is expedient to determine such salaries and to provide for other matters as hereinafter specified; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called the Bombay Legislative Council (President and Deputy President) and the Bombay Legislative Assembly (Speaker and Deputy Speaker) Salaries Act, 1937.

Definitions.

2. In this Act—

(*1*) "Assembly" means the Bombay Legislative Assembly constituted under the Government of India Act, 1935. 26 Geo. 5, c. 2.

(*2*) "Council" means the Bombay Legislative Council constituted under the Government of India Act, 1935. 26 Geo. 5, c. 2.

(*3*) "Deputy President" means the Deputy President of the Council.

(*4*) "Deputy Speaker" means the Deputy Speaker of the Assembly.

(*5*) "President" means the President of the Council.

(*6*) "Speaker" means the Speaker of the Assembly.

Sums to be paid to President and Speaker.

3. There shall be paid to the President and the Speaker each—

(*a*) a salary at the rate of Rs. [2][850] per month;

(*b*) a house allowance at the rate of Rs. [2][200] per month, provided that such allowance shall not be paid to the President or the Speaker if such President or Speaker is provided by the Government [3][with a furnished house] without payment of rent, or any assessment, tax, rate or cess due to Government or any local authority; and

(*c*) an allowance for the maintenance of a motor car at the rate of Rs. [2][200] per month.

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[1] For Statement of Objects and Reasons, *see Bombay Government Gazette*, 1937, Pt. V, p. 28; for Proceedings in Assembly, *see* Bombay Legislative Assembly Debates, 1937, Vol. I, pp. 281—289; and for Proceedings in Council, *see* Bombay Legislative Council Debates, 1937, Vol. I, pp. 167—168.

[2] These figures were substituted for the original by Bom. 12 of 1946, s. 2.

[3] These words were substituted for the original, *ibid.*

*The amendments made by this Act shall be deemed to have been made on and to have effect from the 3rd day of April 1946.

President or Speaker not to practise any profession or engage in any trade, etc.

4. The President and the Speaker shall not practise any profession or engage in any trade or undertake for remuneration any employment other than their duties as President and Speaker respectively.

Salary of Deputy President and Deputy Speaker.

5. There shall be paid to the Deputy President and the Deputy Speaker each a salary at the rate of Rs. [1][200] per month.

Deputy President and Deputy Speaker not debarred from receiving salaries and allowances as Members of the Legislature.

6. Nothing in this Act shall be deemed to debar the Deputy President or the Deputy Speaker from being entitled to receive any salary or allowances as a Member of the Legislature under section 72 of the Government of India Act, 1935, or any Act which may be made in that behalf by the Provincial Legislature. 26 Geo. 5, c. 2.

[1] These figures were substituted for the figures "100" by Bom. 12 of 1946, s. 3.